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U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS							
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FS		2,369,962	02-1945	Gisondi	85	5	
		2,376,167	05-1945	Mitchell	85	36	
		2,400,545	05-1946	Kost	85	5	
		2,430,555	11-1947	Burke	85	36	
		2,720,135	10-1955	Gisondi	85	2.4	
		3,426,817	02-1969	Parkin et al.	151	41.75	
		3,486,158	12-1969	Soltysik et al.	339	14	
		4,826,375	05-1989	Holton	411	174	
		4,925,351	05-1990	Fisher	411	182	
		5,249,900	10-1993	Mitts	411	182	
		5,632,584	05-1997	Acevedo	411	182	
FS		5,636,891	06-1997	Van Order et al.	296	37.7	
FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS							
		DOCUMENT NUMBER	DATE	COUNTRY	CLASS	SUBCLASS	TRANSLATION YES NO
FS		DT 2,456,740	08-1976	Germany			
OTHER PRIOR ART (Including Author, Title, Date, Pertinent Pages, Etc.)							
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FS		5,919,019	07-1999	Fischer	411	182		
		6,095,734	08-2000	Postadan et al.	411	182		
		RE 21,769	04-1941	Tinnerman	411	174		
		4,818,164	04-1989	Kazyak	411	82		
		2,283,122	05-1942	Murphy	411	173		
		2,627,294	02-1953	Bedford	411	173		
FS		2,612,927	10-1952	Aylor	411	173		
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